

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

REBECCA CASTILLO,

Plaintiff,

v.

JO-ANN STORES, LLC,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 5:17-cv-2110

JUDGE JOHN R. ADAMS

**CORPORATE DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT FOR DEFENDANT
JO-ANN STORES, LLC**

Defendant Jo-Ann Stores, LLC files this Corporate Disclosure Statement pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 7.1 and Local Rule 3.13(b):

Jo-Ann Stores Holdings Inc. (“Jo-Ann Holdings”), a Delaware corporation, is the parent of Needle Holdings LLC (“Needle”), a Delaware limited liability company, which is the parent of Defendant Jo-Ann Stores, LLC, an Ohio limited liability company. Needle owns all membership interests of Jo-Ann Stores, LLC. Jo-Ann Holdings owns all membership interests of Needle. Investment funds affiliated with Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. (“LGP”), as well as a small number of co-investors, own the shares of Jo-Ann Holdings. No publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of the stock of Jo-Ann Holdings, Needle, Jo-Ann Stores, or LGP.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 25th day of October, 2017, a copy of the foregoing *Corporate Disclosure Statement of Defendant Jo-Ann Stores, LLC* was filed electronically. Notice of this filing will be sent to all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system. Parties may access this filing through the Court's system.

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